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SUBJECT: COST FACTORS OF POSSIBLE VISA WAIVER FOR VISITORS TO GUAM  $\,$ 

1. HOUSE JUDICIARY SUBCOMMITTEE ON IMMIGRATION CURRENTLY CONSIDERING H.R. 2771 A BILL TO AUTHORIZE WAIVER OF NIV REQUIREMENT FOR ALIENS ENTERING AS VISITORS TO GUAM ONLY AND FOR NOT MORE THAN FIFTEEN DAYS. SUBCOMMITTEE HAS ASKED DEPT FOR DATA ON COST SAVINGS WHICH WOULD RESULT FROM ENACTMENT OF BILL AND IMPLEMENTATION OF WAIVER FOR JAPANESE NATIONALS. ON BASIS OF VERY LIMITED DATA ALREADY AVAILABLE, DEPT HAS GIVEN INFORMAL ORAL ESTIMATE OF SAVING OF ONE OFFICER AND 5 LOCAL POSITIONS (TOTAL COST \$80,000) OVERALL AT ALL POSTS JAPAN AND HAS AGREED SEEK DATA FROM POSTS CONCERNED FOR FORMAL WRITTEN SUBMISSION. UNCLASSIFIED

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2. EMBASSY REQUESTED COORDINATE RESPONSE FOR ALL POSTS JAPAN AND SUBMIT BEST ESTIMATE OF COST SAVINGS, IF ANY, FOR FIRST YEAR OF IMPLEMENTATION OF PROVISION IF ENACTED. IN ADDITION, DEPT WOULD APPRECIATE ANY POSSIBLE ESTIMATE OF FUTURE "COST AVOIDANCE", IF ANY--I.E., STAFF INCREASES NOW CONSIDERED NECESSARY WHICH MIGHT BECOME UNNECESSARY DUE TO WORKLOAD REDUCTIONS CAUSED BY IMPLEMENTATION.

FINALLY, DEPT WOULD APPRECIATE BEING INFORMED WHETHER PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL JAPANESE VISITORS WHO SEEK TO GO TO GUAM ONLY IS REMAINING CONSTANT, DECLINING, OR INCREASING AND WHETHER FIFTEEN DAY PERIOD OF STAY WOULD ACCOMMODATE ALL OR MOST OF SUCH VISITORS.

3. IN ORDER ENABLE DEPT TO FURNISH INFO TO SUBCOMMITTEE IN TIMELY FASHION, REQUEST REPLY NOT LATER THAN COB THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13. KISSINGER

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